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On 7/27/60, DL-7-S, in person, furnished to SA W. HARLAN BROWN a typewritten report dated 7/26/60, which report has been serialized as 134-4A-332.

That report stated a regular CP meeting took place at the home of AUGUSTIN ESTRADA on Monday, July 26, 1960. Those present were AUGUSTIN ESTRADA, BILL LOWERY and JOE LANDIN. MARGARET LANDIN visited with MRS. ESTRADA. RUTH LOWERY, the other member, did not show.

BILL LOWERY reported on the recent talk he had with GILBERT C. GARCIA, State Chairman, American GI Forum. GARCIA inquired about SAL REYNA, the first chairman of the Central Democratic Club in 1964. The report reflected that it was REYNA who had accused ESTRADA, LOWERY and JOE LANDIN of being Communists. BILL LOWERY told GARCIA that REYNA seemed to be politically dead. GARCIA informed BILL LOWERY that a Dallas Forum member had complained to him about an article that JOE LANDIN had written praising FIDEL CASTRO. He explained to BILL that such articles scared people, and it just would not do to scare Forum members out of the Forum. He asked if JOE was active in the Forum and if he held an office. BILL LOWERY answered that he was Vice-Chairman, but was thinking of resigning and that he had not been active in some time. GARCIA asked BILL to see to it that JOE LANDIN did not serve in any special committee in the Forum. BILL LOWERY said GARCIA had asked him if he had attended

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